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"A FEATHER FROM HIS HAT BEHIND!"

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DOOM PATROL #51

BATMAN VS. THE PREDATOR... AND MORE DARK KNIGHT EXCITEMENT

The World's Greatest Detective stalks the world's deadliest killer... until he becomes the hunter's prey in the **BATMAN VS. PREDATOR,** a spectacular 3-issue miniseries from DC Comics and Dark Horse Comics. It's a battle of intellect versus instinct as the Dark Knight confronts the alien Predator in an all-out battle, written by Dave Gibbons, with art by Andy Kubert and Adam Kubert. The BATMAN VS. PREDATOR miniseries is being offered in two editions: Prestige Format, featuring painted covers by Arthur Suydam. The New Format edition has covers by Chris Warner. Additionally, the Prestige Format editions contain 8 bound-in trading cards in issues #1 and #3. Issue #2 will contain pin-ups of the trading card art. Illustrating Batman and Predator for the cards/pin-ups in issue #1 are John Byrne, Paul Gulacy, Jackson Guice, Mike Mignola, Steve Rude, Tim Sale, Matt Wagner, and Chris Warner.

Batman also appears in **BATMAN: MASTER OF THE FUTURE,** a Prestige Format tale of "Elseworlds," and the sequel to GOTHAM BY GASLIGHT. When a madman tries violently to halt the rush of progress, this turn of the century Batman rushes to the rescue. BATMAN: MASTER OF THE FUTURE is written by Brian Augustyn and features art by Eduardo Barreto.

Then, it's the Dark Knight in **BATMAN: BLIND JUSTICE,** the trade paperback collection of the popular 1989 series from DETECTIVE COMICS #598 - 600, written by 1989 BATMAN movie scripter Sam Hamm, and featuring art by Denys Cowan and Dick Giordano. This 160-page paperback also features an introduction by Hamm and a new painted cover by Cowan.

While you're reading this wealth of Batman specials (all in time, we might add, for the Christmas gift-giving season!), you'll want to do it while wearing your **DC COMICS HOLOGRAM BUTTONS,** featuring the BATMAN and JOKER holograms from the covers of the ROBIN II: THE JOKER'S WILD miniseries.

THE WARLORD RETURNS!

Last month saw DC's re-presentation of the original tales of Mike Grell's classic sword and sorcery hero, WARLORD.

Now, Travis Morgan is back in the all-new **WARLORD** miniseries. A minstrel who sings of the legendary Warlord of the other-dimensional realm of Skartaris is made to go looking for the man behind the myth. What he finds is something very different from what the legends would have him believe.

THE WARLORD is a 6-issue New Format miniseries, written by Mike Grell and featuring art by Dameon Willich and Rick Hoberg. The painted covers are by Grell.

WARLORD... the truth may not be what the people of Skartaris need!

STAR TREK HARDCOVER GRAPHIC NOVEL

It's the 25th Anniversary of STAR TREK, and DC has been letting out all the stops with a variety of special events in addition to the regular monthly STAR TREK and STAR TREK: THE NEXT GENERATION titles. This month, we present two new specials: **STAR TREK: DEBT OF HONOR HARDCOVER GRAPHIC NOVEL** and the **STAR TREK VI MOVIE ADAPTATION.**

The STAR TREK: DEBT OF HONOR Hardcover is an original graphic novel, spanning Captain Kirk's career from his days as a lieutenant on the Starship Farragut. He confronts a deadly and mysterious menace that resurfaces years later. It falls to the crew of the *Enterprise* to ally with the Klingons and the Romulans to defeat this common foe. The 96-page STAR TREK: DEBT OF HONOR is written by Chris Claremont, with art by Adam Hughes and Karl Story, with a painted cover by Dave Dorman.

Then, just in time for the December 6th release of the motion picture, is the STAR TREK VI MOVIE ADAPTATION. This adaptation will be available in two formats, both Prestige and New Format, both featuring the complete adaptation of the film. The STAR TREK VI MOVIE ADAPTATION is written by Peter David and features art by Gordon Purcell and Arne Starr. The Prestige Format edition features a painted cover by Jason Palmer and contains 8 exclusive color photos from the film. The New Format edition cover is by Jerome Moore.

Paul Kupperberg, Writer
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LOBO MAYHEM IN A SLIPCASE PACKAGE

You demanded it... DC comes through with the incredible, one-of-a-kind **LOBO SLIPCASE PACKAGE.** What do you get for all your hard-earned bucks?

You get (are you ready for this?) three, count 'em, *three* trade paperback books, including LOBO: THE LAST CZARNIAN, collecting all four issues of last year's smash hit LOBO miniseries by Keith Giffen, Alan Grant, and Simon Bisley. This 112-page collection features a new painted cover by Bisley, along with previously unpublished sketch pages and an introduction by noted science fiction author Robert Sheckley.

How much would you pay for this incredible package? Wait! Before you answer, there's more... and it's not a set of ginsu knives. It's a second LOBO paperback, LOBO'S GREATEST HITS, a 176-page compilation of Lobo's best appearances from OMEGA MEN, JUSTICE LEAGUE, MISTER MIRACLE, SUPERMAN, and others, with art by Keith Giffen, Erik Larsen, Matt Wagner, Timothy Truman, Norm Breyfogle, to name just a few.

And if that's not enough, there's a *third* incredible trade paperback, THE WIT AND WISDOM OF LOBO, a 64-page book compiled by Lobo himself. What's inside? Heh, heh, heh... we're not telling since it's from Lobo himself, but DC is sure that any gift from the main-man is bound to be trickery, so we're including 8 exclusive Lobo postcards with art by Keith Giffen, Garry Leach, Kevin Maguire, Mike McKone, Mike Mignola, Kevin O'Neill, Walter Simonson, and P. Craig Russell.

The LOBO SLIPCASE PACKAGE... this one'll kill you. But then, what'd you expect with Lobo involved?

BAR
:BURRRP:
HOME AGAIN, HOME AGAIN, JIGGETY-JIG!
HOLD ON. THERE, ONE MINUTE I'M TOTALLY WASTED, THE NEXT I'M STONE COLD SOBER!
THAT WASN'T SO BAD! MAYBE RELIVIN' THESE PAST EXPERIENCES IS ACTUALLY A BLESSING IN DISGUISE!

AGENT LIBERTY...

The mysterious costumed figure first hit the streets of Metropolis in SUPERMAN #60 and even the Man of Steel couldn't get a handle on him.

Now he's back, in the pages of **AGENT LIBERTY SPECIAL #1.** While Agent Liberty seems to share Superman's agenda, his motives and methods — and those of the secret organization for which he works — are somewhat suspect. Now it's time to learn Agent Liberty's origins and see his secrets revealed.

AGENT LIBERTY SPECIAL #1 is a 48-page one-shot, written by Dan Jurgens and featuring art by SUPERMAN ANNUAL'S Dusty Abell, Jackson Guice, and Brad Vancata, and a **special cover with silver metallic ink** by Dan Jurgens and Guice.

AGENT LIBERTY... he's searching for truth and fighting for liberty.

THE RAY... OUT OF THE DARKNESS!

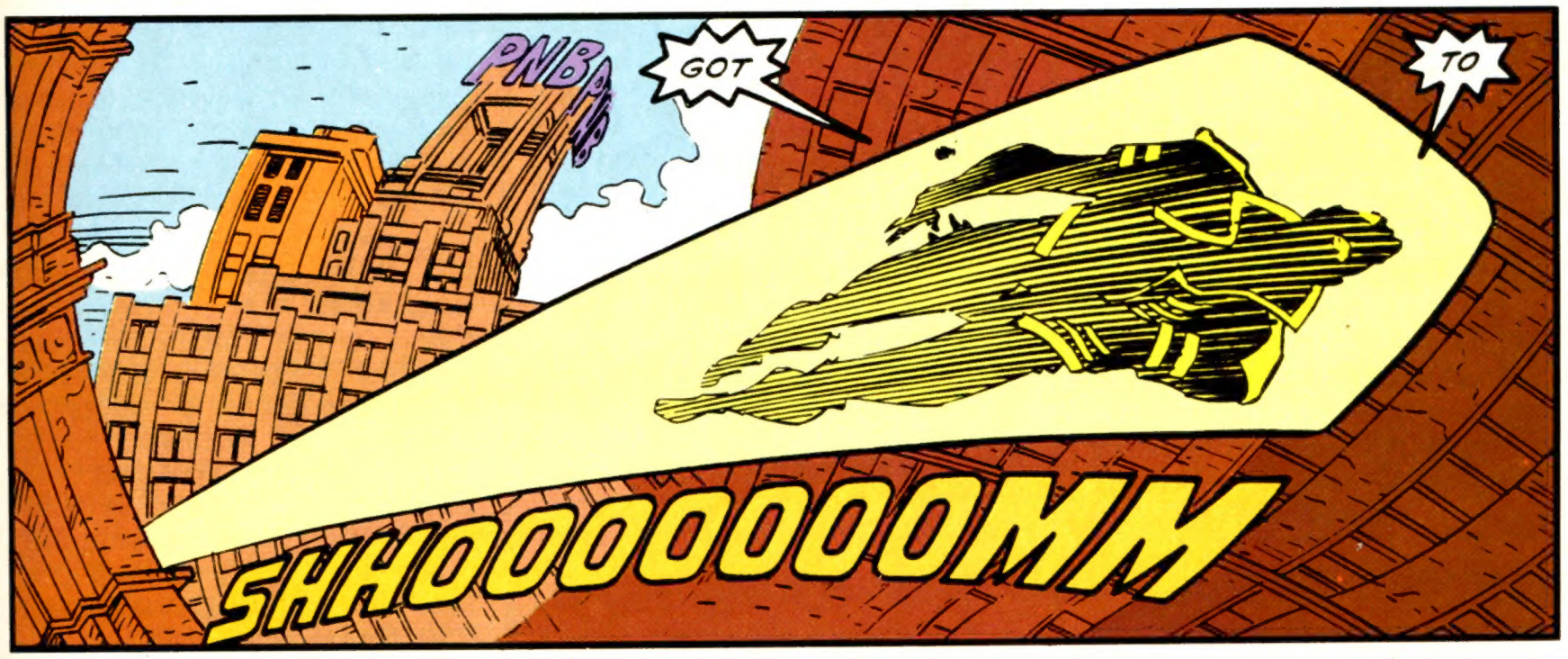
Ray Terrill grew up believing he couldn't tolerate exposure to sunlight.

Imagine his shock when he learns that's not his problem. The truth, revealed to him at his father's deathbed, is that Ray Terrill is the son of THE RAY, a Golden Age super-hero, and he possesses the same light-based super-powers as his father!

THE RAY introduces this second generation super-hero, including the intricate backstory of this unusual and naive 18-year old's life as he comes of age and faces the awesome responsibilities of his life!

THE RAY is a six-issue miniseries, written by Jack C. Harris and featuring art by Joe Quesada and Art Nichols.

THE RAY...a hero comes of age!



BOOKS SHIPPING IN DECEMBER

☐ **ACTION COMICS #673**
Lex Luthor II uses the mysterious "Hellgrammite" to help clean up the mean streets of Metropolis. Written by Roger Stern, with art by Bob McLeod and Denis Rodier. Cover by Dan Jurgens and McLeod. $1.00

☐ **ADVENTURES OF SUPERBOY #22**
Final issue. Superboy is transporting Metallo, the man with the Kryptonite heart, to a maximum security prison... until Metallo winds up holding the Boy of Steel's life in his metallic hand! Written by Joey Cavalieri, with art by Curt Swan, Joe Rubinstein, and others. Cover by Kevin Maguire and Ty Templeton. $1.25

☐ **ADVENTURES OF SUPERMAN #487**
Supported by the mysterious "Sons of Liberty," Pete Ross is elected to Congress. Will Superman find out in time to warn his boyhood friend? Meanwhile, Jimmy Olsen and Bibbo try to bring a little holiday cheer to the poor children of Metropolis. Written by Jerry Ordway, with art by Tom Grummett and Doug Hazlewood. Cover by Ordway. $1.00

ADVENTURES OF SUPERMAN #487

☐ **AGENT LIBERTY SPECIAL #1**
From the pages of the SUPERMAN titles comes DC's newest hero... AGENT LIBERTY! In his first ever solo title, Agent Liberty's origin is revealed, along with the secrets of the organization for which he works. Written by Dan Jurgens, with art by Dusty Abell, Jackson Guice, Steve Mitchell, and Brad Vancata. **Plus, a special cover with silver metallic ink by Dan Jurgens and Guice.** 48 pages. $2.00

☐ **ALL STAR ARCHIVES #1**
Represented in their entirety from the Golden Age of comics are issues #3-6 of ALL STAR COMICS. This deluxe hardcover showcases the early adventures of the Justice Society of America. Included in these classic tales are Flash, Green Lantern, Hawkman, Sandman, the Spectre, Doctor Fate, the Atom, and Hourman. Don Thompson, co-editor of the *Comics Buyer's Guide,* provides the introduction. *(Hardcover)* $39.95

☐ **ANIMAL MAN #44**
The Vixen comes back into Animal Man's life...but she's undergone some radical changes. Written by Tom Veitch, with art by Brett Ewins and Jim McCarthy. Cover by Brian Bolland. *(New Format)* $1.75

☐ **AQUAMAN #3**
Poseidonis becomes the target of hundreds of sharks who refuse to obey Aquaman. And in nearby Tritonis, Iqula, that city's hero, is introduced. Written by Shaun McLaughlin, with art by Ken Hooper and Bob Dvorak. Cover by Kevin Maguire and Art Nichols. $1.00

☐ **ARMAGEDDON: THE ALIEN AGENDA #3**
(of a 4-issue miniseries)
Monarch continues his rampage through history to recover an alien detonator, trailing Captain Atom and a galaxy of guest stars to the Old West in "The West Years of Our Lives." Written by Jonathan Peterson, with art by Alan Weiss and Joe Rubinstein. Cover by Dick Giordano. $1.00

ARMAGEDDON: THE ALIEN AGENDA #3

☐ **BATMAN #474**
Part 1 of the 3-part "Destroyer": Batman investigates the destruction of prominent Gotham City buildings. Designs by Anton Furst will be incorporated into Gotham as a part of this storyline, which continues in BATMAN: LEGENDS OF THE DARK KNIGHT #27 and concludes in DETECTIVE COMICS #641. Written by Alan Grant, with art by Norm Breyfogle and cover by Breyfogle and Furst. $1.00

☐ **BATMAN: BLIND JUSTICE TRADE PAPERBACK**
Re-presented in a single trade paperback volume is the popular 3-issue storyline from DETECTIVE COMICS #598 - 600, written by Sam Hamm, scripter of the Batman movie, with art by Denys Cowan and Dick Giordano. This edition also features a new introduction by Hamm and a new painted cover by Cowan. 160 pages. $7.50

BATMAN: BLIND JUSTICE TRADE PAPERBACK

☐ **BATMAN: LEGENDS OF THE DARK KNIGHT #26**
Part 3 of the 3-part "Flyer": Tortured and wounded, Batman finds the human element of the Goliath combat suit more deadly than any of its armor or weapons. Scripted by Howard Chaykin, with art and cover by Gil Kane. *(Deluxe Format)* $1.75

☐ **BATMAN: LEGENDS OF THE DARK KNIGHT #27**
Part 2 of the 3-part "Destroyer": Continued from BATMAN #474. The Dark Knight's investigation of the Destroyer uncovers the role his ancestor, Solomon Wayne, played in the creation of modern Gotham City. Concludes in DETECTIVE COMICS #641. Written by Dennis O'Neil, with art by Chris Sprouse and Bruce Patterson. Cover by Sprouse and Anton Furst. *(Deluxe Format)* $1.75

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☐ **BATMAN: MASTER OF THE FUTURE**

In a new tale of "Elseworlds," DC presents the sequel to the best-selling BATMAN: GOTHAM BY GASLIGHT. In this tale of an alternate past, a master scientist devastates Gotham City, and the turn of the century Batman rushes to the rescue. Written by Brian Augustyn, with art and cover by Eduardo Barreto. 64 pages. *(Prestige Format)* $5.95

BATMAN: MASTER OF THE FUTURE

☐ **BATMAN VS. PREDATOR #1**
(of a 3-issue miniseries)

The World's Greatest Detective stalks the fiercest killer that Gotham City has ever seen...a killer not of this world. A Predator! And it's about to turn Batman into its prey! This Prestige Format edition **contains 8 bound-in trading cards**. Written by Dave Gibbons, with art by Andy Kubert and Adam Kubert, and color by Sherilyn van Valkenburgh. Painted cover by Arthur Suydam. *(Prestige Format)* $4.95

☐ **BATMAN VS. PREDATOR #1**
(of a 3-issue miniseries)

This New Format edition of BATMAN VS. PREDATOR features the same story and art as the Prestige Format edition, without the bound-in trading cards. Cover by Chris Warner. *(New Format)* $1.95

☐ **BLACK CANARY #4**
(of a 4-issue miniseries)

Black Canary must come to terms with her own problems even as she fights to end a drug war and prevent a race riot being fueled by white supremacists. Written by Sarah E. Byam, with layouts by Trevor Von Eeden, and finished art and cover by Dick Giordano. *(New Format)* $1.75

☐ **THE BLACK HOOD #3**

Nate Cray gets the invite to the mayor's New Year's Eve party...but it's the Black Hood who attends and saves the mayor's daughter from the revenge-seeking menace of the Creeptures. Written by Mark Wheatley, with art by Rick Burchett and Mike Chen. Cover by Burchett. $1.00

☐ **THE BRAVE AND THE BOLD #3**
(of a 6-issue miniseries)

While Green Arrow follows the trail of an illegal arms deal, John Butcher is discovered to be a spy by the radical Indian group he's infiltrated. Written by Mike Grell and Mike Baron, with art by Shea Anton Pensa. Cover by Grell. *(New Format)* $1.75

☐ **CLASH #3**
(of a 3-book miniseries)

King Clash meets the powerful Archons in the climactic struggle to control the powers they have bestowed upon him. Written by Tom Veitch, with art and cover by Adam Kubert. *(Prestige Format)* $4.95

CLASH #3

☐ **THE COMET #7**

A reporter creates a super-heroic guise in hopes of teaming up with the Comet for an exclusive story. What results is chaos! Written by Mark Waid, with art by Alan Kupperberg and Dan Panosian. Cover by Mark Beachum. $1.00

☐ **DC COMICS HOLOGRAM BUTTONS**

From the covers of the best-selling ROBIN II: JOKER'S WILD miniseries come these fabulous holograms, mounted on 1 3/4" x 2 3/4" pins. One pin features the Batman hologram from the cover of ROBIN II #2, the other the Joker hologram from the cover of #3, both designed by artist Dick Giordano. You've read the comics...collected the variant editions...now wear the buttons...a bargain at $2.00 each!

☐ **DEATHSTROKE, THE TERMINATOR #7**

Part 2 of the 4-part "City of Assassins": Deathstroke grabs a mob witness to protect him from a killer within the ranks of the Gotham police department... but his actions bring him directly into combat with the Batman! Written by Marv Wolfman, with art by Steve Erwin and Will Blyberg. Cover by Mike Zeck. *(New Format)* $1.75

☐ **THE DEMON #20**

Etrigan confronts the dreaded Golden Knight in an effort to win the disgusting secret spell that permits exit from the Beyond Region. Written by Alan Grant, with art and cover by Val Semeiks and Bob Smith. *(New Format)* $1.50

☐ **DETECTIVE COMICS #640**

Part 4 of the 4-part "The Idiot Root," continued from BATMAN #473: The Idiot has entered our reality to walk the streets of Rio de Janeiro...and only Batman stands a chance of stopping him. Written by Peter Milligan, with art by Jim Aparo and Mike DeCarlo. Cover by Norm Breyfogle. $1.00

DETECTIVE COMICS #640

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☐ **DOCTOR FATE #36**
Shat-Ru, the renegade Lord of Order, helps Kent Nelson begin his search for Inza... but to enter the realms of Chaos, Kent may have to become Doctor Fate once again. Written by William Messner-Loebs and Tom Peyer, with art by Scot Eaton, Steve Mitchell, and Romeo Tanghal. Cover by Eaton and Peter Gross. *(New Format)* $1.75

☐ **DOOM PATROL #51**
Mr. Nobody runs for president promising 365 Christmases a year. How can the Doom Patrol *not* support him, even if he is their worst foe? This issue, meet a *never-used character from the sixties, Yankee Doodle Dandy.* Written by Grant Morrison, with art by Richard Case, Mark McKenna and Stan Woch. Special cover from the sixties by Mike Sekowsky and Frank Giacoia. *(Suggested for Mature Readers. New Format.)* $1.50

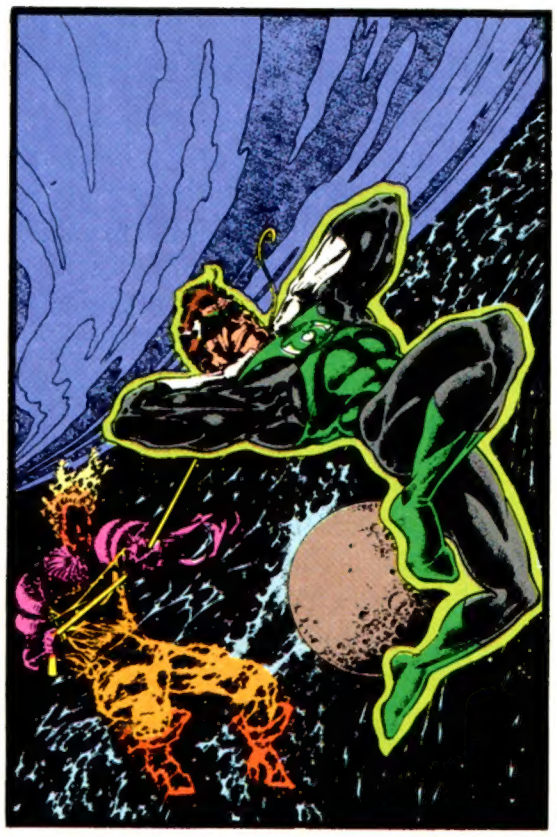
☐ **THE ELONGATED MAN: EUROPE '92 #2**
(of a 4-issue miniseries)
On a visit to Modora, the strange kingdom ruled by the villain Sonar, Ralph and Sue meet the charismatic leader...and when Elongated Man and Flash head off to Berlin on an emergency, Sonar and Sue get cozy. Written by Gerard Jones, with art and cover by Mike Parobeck and Ty Templeton. $1.00

☐ **FLASH #59**
An invisible terrorist targets Mason and his lady friend, forcing Flash into a confrontation with "The Last Resort." Written by William Messner-Loebs, with art and cover by Greg LaRocque and José Marzan Jr. $1.00

☐ **THE FLY #6**
Jason Troy joins his grandfather for a weekend jaunt to glitzy Las Arenas...and as the Fly, meets up with the local hero, Blackjack when Grandpa Troy goes undercover to catch some high-tech casino crooks. Written by Len Strazewski, with art and cover by Mike Parobeck and Paul Fricke. $1.00

☐ **GREEN ARROW #56**
Green Arrow investigates a years-old crime for which a self-confessed serial killer has been executed...even though he denies committing the crime for which he was hanged. Written by Mike Grell, with art by Rick Hoberg and John Nyberg. Cover by Grell. *(Suggested for Mature Readers. New Format.)* $1.50

☐ **GREEN LANTERN #21**
Hal Jordan and his new Green Lantern Corps recruits are brought before the Consultant by the mercenary Flicker to be interviewed, tested...and sold! Written by Gerard Jones, with art by Pat Broderick and Romeo Tanghal. Cover by Broderick. $1.00



GREEN LANTERN #21

☐ **THE GRIFFIN #4**
(of a 6-book miniseries)
The Griffin makes a serious decision as the last surviving Assirion super-soldier seeks to avenge the murder of her race...a vengeance that endangers far more than the Acacian fleet orbiting Earth. Written by Dan Vado, with art by Norman Felchle and Dave McKenna. Painted cover by Matt Wagner. *(Suggested for Mature Readers)* $4.95

THE FLY #6

☐ **HAWKWORLD #20**
The government of Thanagar has sanctioned the theft of a revolutionary space drive, but its owner has sicked the deadly intergalactic bounty hunter Smif'beau after the thieves... and Smif'beau is willing to kill everyone to finish his mission. Written by John Ostrander, with art and cover by Gary Kwapisz. *(New Format)* $1.50

☐ **HELLBLAZER #50**
In this special 48-page anniversary issue, Constantine meets the immortal King of Vampires, who tries to enlist him in his cause, revealing many new secrets about Constantine's past and present. Written by Garth Ennis, with art by William Simpson. Painted cover by Tom Canty. *(Suggested for Mature Readers. 48 pages. New Format.)* $3.00

HELLBLAZER #50

☐ **IMPACT COMICS WINTER SPECIAL**
The six stars of the Impact Comics, the Shield, the Jaguar, the Web, the Comet, the Fly, and the Black Hood, meet and go into action together for the first time! At the lighting of the National Christmas Tree in Washington, D.C. the President is kidnapped by the evil Indigo. The only way to save him is for the heroes to bring Indigo his six former henchmen he believed betrayed him years ago! Written by Mark Waid, Len Strazewski, Tom Lyle, Mark Wheatley, and Grant Miehm. The art is by Carmine Infantino and Marshall Rogers, Tom Artis and Bill Wray, Tom Lyle and Scott Hanna, Rick Burchett and Mike Chen, Mike Parobeck and Paul Fricke, Mike Chen, and Miehm. Cover by Mike Netzer (formerly Nasser) and Mike DeCarlo. 64 pages. $2.50

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☐ **THE JAGUAR #7**
In a daring rescue attempt, the Jaguar descends into a deep well where an Elm Harbor police officer is trapped. Here, Jaguar faces her deepest fears and unwittingly changes back into Maria DeGuzman—paralyzed with fear. Written by William Messner-Loebs, with art by Chuck Wojtkiewicz and Mike Manley. Cover by Mark Beachum. $1.00

☐ **JUSTICE LEAGUE AMERICA #59**
Part 13 of the 15-part "Breakdowns": Maxwell Lord is possessed by Dreamslayer and sends the entire population of KooeyKooeyKooey to attack the League! Written by Keith Giffen and J.M. DeMatteis, with art by Bart Sears and Randy Elliott. Cover by Kevin Maguire and Terry Austin. $1.00

☐ **JUSTICE LEAGUE EUROPE #34**
Part 12 of the 15-part "Breakdowns": Maxwell Lord teams up with the Extremists while Lobo, Despero, and the Justice League fight towards a finish in which a Leaguer has to "die" in order for Despero to be stopped. Written by Keith Giffen and Gerard Jones, with art and cover by Darick Robertson and Randy Elliott. $1.00

JUSTICE LEAGUE EUROPE #34

☐ **LEGEND OF THE SHIELD #8**
The Shield battles the deadly Weapon as the mystery of the *original* Shield continues to unravel. Written by Grant Miehm and Mark Waid, with art and cover by Miehm. $1.00

☐ **L.E.G.I.O.N. '92 #36**
Vril Dox proposes marriage to Ig'nea... except her father doesn't approve! Phase and Bek bend the rules to hold the disbanded team together while Lobo returns from the grave to kill the Ice Man. Written by Alan Grant, with art by Barry Kitson and Art Nichols. Cover by Kevin Maguire and Karl Kesel. *(New Format)* $1.50

☐ **LEGION OF SUPER-HEROES #26**
A new penciller and a new direction for the Legion as the Dominators devise another insidious plan, Laurel Gand battles B.I.O.N., and the Legion SUBS go into action against the Dominators. Written by Keith Giffen and Tom and Mary Bierbaum, with art and cover by Jason Pearson and Al Gordon. *(Deluxe Format)* $1.75

LEGION OF SUPER-HEROES #26

☐ **LOBO SLIPCASE**
Feetal's Gizz! It's two new Lobo trade paperbacks in a butt-kicking new slipcase! Yow! First up is LOBO: THE LAST CZARNIAN, reprinting last year's best-selling LOBO miniseries by Keith Giffen, Alan Grant, and Simon Bisley. Then it's LOBO'S GREATEST HITS, a collection of Lobo's appearances, from his debut back in 1983's OMEGA MEN on up. And if that's not enough (and we didn't think it would be!) there's also a special *third* book, yours absolutely free with the slipcase and the other two trade paperback volumes...it's called THE WIT AND WISDOM OF LOBO (which about says it all!) and is available nowhere else but here. **Also exclusively available with the slipcase package are 8 postcards featuring portraits of the main-man himself rendered by some of the main-men in comics.** For details, see the feature article. $29.87

☐ **NEW TITANS #83**
It's the ultimate showdown of father vs. son as Jericho battles his father, Deathstroke the Terminator, in a showdown to determine the fate of the captured Titans! Written by Marv Wolfman, with art and cover by Tom Grummett and Al Vey. *(Deluxe Format)* $1.75

NEW TITANS #83

☐ **OMAC #4**
(of a 4-book miniseries)
In the stunning conclusion, Omac tries to undo the damage done to the time stream by Mr. Big... even if doing so means risking erasing his own existence. Written and drawn in black-and-white duotone by John Byrne. Cover by Byrne. *(Prestige Format. Suggested for Mature Readers.)* $3.95

LOBO SLIPCASE

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☐ **OUTLAWS #6**
(of an 8-issue miniseries)
Tragedy awaits Hood and his men as they stage a bold raid on the king's castle to rescue Southpaw's former fiancée. Written by Michael Jan Friedman, with art and cover by Luke McDonnell. *(Deluxe Format)* $1.95

OUTLAWS #6

☐ **THE QUESTION QUARTERLY #5**
The Question assaults Myra, and you'll see it happen... from four separate perspectives in different chapters featuring the talents of Denys Cowan, Mike Baron, Shea Anton Pensa, Mike Gold, Mike Mignola, Mike Manley, and Kelley Puckett. Painted cover by Denys Cowan. 48 pages. *(New Format)* $2.95

THE QUESTION QUARTERLY #5

☐ **RAGMAN #5**
(of an 8-issue miniseries)
Will the rags he wears exert final control over Ragman...or will the Golem of Gotham City destroy him first? Written by Keith Giffen and Robert Loren Fleming, with art and cover by Pat Broderick. *(New Format)* $1.50

BUS STOP
The Golem
I sense fear and desperation but I can detect no evil
The rags shrink from the thing they pull me away but I stand my ground

RAGMAN #5

☐ **THE RAY #1**
(of a 6-issue miniseries)
Meet Ray Terrill, a young man who's been kept out of the sun all his life because he's allergic to its warming rays...or at least that's what he's been told! The truth is far more amazing...he's really the son of the super-hero The Ray and has inherited his father's awesome powers! Written by Jack C. Harris, with art by Joe Quesada and Art Nichols. $1.00

☐ **ROBIN II: JOKER'S WILD #4**
(of a 4-issue miniseries)
This is it...the final confrontation between Robin and the Joker in the shocking conclusion to this historic miniseries! Written by Chuck Dixon, with art by Tom Lyle and Bob Smith. The cover of the direct-market-only edition, by Eduardo Barreto, features a hologram of the Bat-signal integrated into the art! $1.50

☐ **ROBIN II: JOKER'S WILD #4**
(of a 4-issue miniseries)
This newsstand version of the shattering conclusion features the same story and art as the direct-only edition, only *without* the hologram on the cover. Cover by Kevin Maguire and Dick Giordano. $1.00

☐ **ROBIN II: JOKER'S WILD #4 COLLECTOR'S SET**
DC offers a bagged collector's set containing the newsstand edition and both direct market edition of ROBIN II: JOKER'S WILD #4, *plus* a separate hologram trading card duplicating the Bat-signal hologram on the cover! $4.00

☐ **SANDMAN #35**
Danger lurks in the shadows — and in other, more unexpected places — as Barbie and her furry followers make their way across the Land to the Citadel where Barbie confronts the dread Cuckoo. Written by Neil Gaiman, with art by Shawn McManus. Painted cover by Dave McKean. *(Suggested for Mature Readers. New Format.)* $1.50

☐ **SGT. ROCK #21**
Sgt. Rock and Easy Co. go into their final monthly battle with a special Christmas issue, featuring stories by Robert Kanigher, Mike Friedrich, and Sam Glanzman, with art by Joe Kubert, Russ Heath, Glanzman, and John Severin. An all-new SGT. ROCK SPECIAL will appear in 1992. Cover by Kubert. 48 pages. $2.00

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☐ **SHADE, THE CHANGING MAN #20**
In "Heading North," Shade stops at a bar on his way to Montana and Kathy, where he runs into a gang of unruly bikers. Must Shade resort to the madness, or should he allow Sadist Shade, his alter ego, to take charge of his identity? Written by Peter Milligan, with art by Chris Bachalo and Mark Pennington. Painted cover by Jamie Hewlett. *(Suggested for Mature Readers. New Format.)* $1.75

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☐ **THE SHADOW STRIKES! #27**
The Shadow's battle with Shiwan Khan reaches its climax in China as the Shadow defeats his nemesis and rescues Margo Lane with the help of an army of Maoist guerrillas. Written by Gerard Jones, with art by Rod Whigham and Mike DeCarlo. Cover by Joe Quesada and Mike Bair. *(Deluxe Format)* $2.00

☐ **THE SHADOW STRIKES! #28**
Returning from China and his defeat of Shiwan Khan, the Shadow and his operatives stop over in Hawaii where they are swept up in a twisted double-murder involving Hawaiian royalty and tradition. Written by Gerard Jones, with art and cover by Steve Leialoha. *(Deluxe Format)* $2.00

☐ **STAR TREK® #28**
Part 4 of the 4-part "Secrets": Kirk protects an entire world from the Romulan threat...and then confronts his betrayer! Written by Howard Weinstein, with art by Brandon Peterson and Scott Hanna. Cover by Jerome Moore. *(New Format)* $1.75

☐ **STAR TREK™: DEBT OF HONOR HARDCOVER**
The 25th Anniversary celebration of STAR TREK continues with DC's most exciting event of all...the hardcover graphic novel DEBT OF HONOR. This original story spans the career of Captain Kirk, from his days as a lieutenant to his current assignment, where he must clandestinely team with the Klingons and Romulans to avert a threat to the universe. Written by Chris Claremont, with art by Adam Hughes and Karl Story. Painted cover by Dave Dorman. *(96 pages. Hardcover)* $24.95

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☐ **STAR TREK™ VI MOVIE ADAPTATION**
STAR TREK excitement continues with DC's adaptation of the sixth STAR TREK movie! With the universe on the brink of peace, Capt. Kirk and Dr. McCoy are on trial for their lives. This Prestige Format edition contains a special photo gallery, with exclusive stills from the film. Written by Peter David, with art by Gordon Purcell and Arne Starr. Painted cover by Jason Palmer. *(Prestige Format)* $5.95

☐ **STAR TREK™ VI MOVIE ADAPTATION**
This New Format edition of DC's adaptation of STAR TREK VI features the same story and art as the Prestige Format, without the stills. The cover is by Jerome Moore. *(New Format)* $2.95

☐ **STAR TREK®: THE NEXT GENERATION™ #28**
On the anniversary of the death of his mate, Worf is drawn into an alien scheme that would return her to life... but at the cost of the Enterprise and its crew. Written by Michael Jan Friedman, with art by Peter Krause and Pablo Marcos. Cover by Jerome Moore. *(New Format)* $1.75

☐ **STARMAN #43**
Part 2 of the 4-part "Star Shadows": Hoping to find a cure for his wildly fluctuating powers, Starman heads into outer space with Dr. Bruce Gordon...where they meet up with Lobo, who's been hired to kill Gordon's alter ego, Eclipso! Written by Len Strazewski, with art by Vince Giarrano. Cover by Mike Mignola. $1.00

☐ **SUICIDE SQUAD #61**
Batman, Superman, and Aquaman unlock the secret of a government cabal, while the new Atom is sent by Amanda Waller to infiltrate the Microforce...with fatal consequences. Written by John Ostrander and Kim Yale, with art by Geof Isherwood and Robert Campanella. Cover by Isherwood and Karl Kesel. $1.25

☐ **SUPERMAN #64**
The mail is addressed to Superman, "Metropolis, U.S.A.," and the Man of Steel grants some holiday wishes as he answers some of the many requests piling up at the Post Office. Written by Dan Jurgens, with art by Jackson Guice. Cover by Jurgens and Brett Breeding. $1.00

☐ **SUPERMAN: THE MAN OF STEEL #8**
While Superman has his hands full with Jolt and Blockhouse, Cerberus's latest criminal creations, the group has captured Lois Lane and prepares her to undergo "The Treatment." Written by Louise Simonson, with art by Kieron Dwyer and Dennis Janke. Cover by Jon Bogdanove and Janke. $1.00

☐ **SWAMP THING #116**
A boy finds and plants one of Swamp Thing's discarded bodies... and from it, something monstrous grows. Written by Dick Foreman, with art by Shawn McManus. Photo cover by Tom Taggart. *(Suggested for Mature Readers. New Format.)* $1.75

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CASEY! STAY OUT OF THERE!
HIS VOICE SOUNDS SMALL AND FRAGILE AGAINST THE INSECT RAWNESS OF THE GLADE.

SWAMP THING #116

☐ **WARLORD #1**
(of a 6-issue miniseries)
DC's original sword-and-sorcery hero returns! A minstrel's song about the mythical Warlord of the magical realm of Skartaris sets him off on a quest to find the truth behind the myth, to learn all he can about the man, Travis Morgan. Written by Mike Grell, with art by Dameon Willich and Rick Hoberg. Painted cover by Grell. *(New Format)* $1.75

☐ **THE WEB #6**
Meet the members of The Posse, the newest—and the youngest—agents of the Web. Written by Len Strazewski, with art by Tom Artis and Bill Wray. $1.00

☐ **WONDER WOMAN #62**
George Pérez ends his creative term on WONDER WOMAN as DC's greatest heroine reevaluates her life in the aftermath of the WAR OF THE GODS. Written by George Pérez, with art by Jill Thompson and Romeo Tanghal. Cover by Thompson and Jay Geldhof. $1.00

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